

 <p>UNIVERSITY OF DENVER</p>	UNIVERSITY OF DENVER POLICY MANUAL SMOKE-FREE POLICY		
Responsible Department: Provost Recommended By: Provost Gregg Kvistad, Vice Chancellor Craig Woody Approved By: Chancellor Bob Coombe Approved by Board of Trustees: May 12, 2009	Policy Number 3.20.050	Effective Date: January 1, 2010	

INTRODUCTION

PURPOSE

In response to public health concerns related to second-hand smoke from tobacco products, it shall be the policy of the University that smoking will not be allowed in either indoor or outdoor areas of the campus.

SCOPE

This smoking ban does not apply to public rights-of-way (sidewalks, streets) on the perimeter of the campus. Because of the high traffic of visitors to the University at the Newman Center for the Performing Arts and the Ritchie Center for Sports and Wellness, the University will establish designated areas outside of these venues where smoking will be permitted. These areas will be located at least 25 feet from the perimeter of these buildings.

POLICY OVERVIEW

REQUIREMENTS

2.1.1 Policies and Procedures

1. The University of Denver is a 100% smoke-free campus, meaning the use of smoking products is prohibited on all university owned and operated campus grounds both indoors and outdoors.
2. The University will establish designated areas outside of The Newman Center for the Performing Arts and the Ritchie Center where smoking will be permitted. These areas will be located at least 25 feet from the perimeter of each building.

3. Smoking products include but are not limited to all cigarette products (cigarettes, bidis, kreteks, etc.) and all smoke-producing products (cigars, pipes, hookahs, etc.).
4. University-owned and operated campus grounds include but are not limited to all outdoor common and educational areas, all university buildings, fraternities and sororities, university-owned on-campus housing, campus sidewalks, campus parking lots, recreational areas, outdoor stadiums and university-owned and leased vehicles (regardless of location). This smoking ban does not apply to public rights-of-way (sidewalks, streets) on the perimeter of the campus
5. In keeping with University policy, it is our guidance that the sale, distribution, and sampling of all tobacco products and tobacco-related merchandise is prohibited on all university owned and operated property and at university-sponsored events.
6. It is our guidance that the sponsorship of university associations and/or university events by organizations that promote tobacco use is prohibited. Additionally, the advertisement of tobacco products on university-owned and operated property or at university events is prohibited.
7. This policy applies to all employees, students, visitors, contractors and external individuals or companies renting university-owned space on university owned and operated property campus grounds.